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FROM AMBASSADOR FOR UNDER SECRETARY SISCO AND ASST SECRETARY DAVIS

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS PFOR ET US

SUBJECT: F-5E PROCUREMENT FOR ETHIOPIA

REF: ADDIS 4625

THERE CONTINUE TO BE INDICATIONS THAT THE EPMG ATTACHES  
THE GREATEST IMPORTANCE TO THE EARLY INTRODUCTION OF F-5ES.  
THERE ARE FEW ACTIONS WE CAN TAKE WHICH ARE LIKELY TO HAVE AS  
STRONG AN IMPACT ON OUR RELATIONS WITH THE EPMG AS OUR PERFORMANCE  
IN REGARD TO THIS ISSUE. I WOULD THEREFORE MUCH APPRECIATE A  
STATUS REPORT ON MY PROPOSAL IN REFTEL THAT SIX OF THE F-5ES  
ORIGINALLY INTENDED FOR KOREA BE DIVERTED TO ETHIOPIA IN JULY  
OR AUGUST OF THIS YEAR.  
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